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## TWO MONTHS OF TOIL

Ended Saturday Morning When the Florida Legislature Adjourned.  
Hard Work and Economy Prevailed

Tallahassee, June 7.—The legislature of 1909 was a working body. It passed many bills, some of them of broad interest and effect, and many of minor value.

The most far-reaching of the former is the prohibition measure. It provides for the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for state-wide prohibition. This amendment will be voted upon by the people in the fall of 1911, when the biennial election will take place.

Another measure which the reformers had pinned their faith to was the Sloan anti-race track gambling bill. It went through only a few days ago, but so amended as to permit of racing for two more years.

**State Fair Appropriations**  
The people of South Florida in particular were much interested in the action of the legislature in regard to the payment of the state's obligations to the Florida State Midwinter Fair Association. It was finally settled by making provision for the payment of this in the general appropriation. The money will not be available until the spring of 1910.

**The Pension Law**  
The pension law has been so amended that from now on only those old soldiers who have less than \$2,500 worth of property in their name will be entitled to receive state pensions. This will have the effect of decreasing the pension roll. The legislature also made provision for the immediate relief of the pension fund by taking an amount from the general fund and placing it in the pension fund.

**The Text Books Fight**  
Both state and county uniformity of text books failed of enactment this session.

Of the measure that excited most discussion and failed of realization at the session, there is no more striking instance than that of Senator John S. Board's plan to disfranchise the negro voters. The Pinellas county division scheme, which was killed in the senate, was another matter that created great excitement at the time. There was one new county created by the legislature—Palm Beach—made up of the northern portion of Dade county.

**The Wallis Claim Dead**  
The claim of S. I. Wallis against the state, which has bobbed up and down for several years, was killed. The governor recommended that Wallis be paid \$25,000. The legislature did not adopt the suggestion.

**Drainage Will Go On**  
The investigation of the accounts of the trustees of the Internal Improvement fund resulted in the report that the fund had been honestly administered, and that the drainage of the Everglades should be carried on. But the reports took a fall out of former Gov. W. S. Jennings, who has received large fees for his services as counsel for the board.

One of the most important acts of the legislature was the taking from the comptroller the power of assessing the railroads and placing the task upon a commission of five state officers.

The taking from the board of pardons of the attorney general makes it possible for that gentleman to act as attorney for the board.

## ALONE IN A SAW

**MILL AT MIDNIGHT**  
unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as night watchman at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle," he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe colds, stubborn coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, hemorrhages, croup and whooping cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by all druggists.

## THEY'LL MAKE THE BEST OF THEIR TIME

**Racing Men Will Build Another Track Near Jacksonville**

Cincinnati, June 7.—Notwithstanding the Florida legislature has just passed the Sloan race track gambling bill, announcement has been made at the Lorton track of plans for an additional racetrack near Jacksonville, the understanding among turf men being that it will have nearly two years to run before the Sloan law becomes operative.

The announcement was made by William Fizer, who has twenty horses at Lorton, and who leaves for Jacksonville to close options on a site for the track, which is to be across the St. Johns river from Jacksonville. Fizer states that an agreement has been entered into between himself and "Curley" Brown of Cincinnati, owner of the other racetrack at Jacksonville, regarding dates.

**MEN PAST FIFTY IN DANGER**  
Men past middle life have found comfort and relief in Foley's Kidney Remedy, especially from enlarged prostate gland, which is very common among elderly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky., writes: "Up to a year ago my father suffered from kidney and bladder trouble and several physicians pronounced it enlargement of the prostate gland and advised an operation. On account of his age we were afraid he could not stand it and I recommended Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the first bottle relieved him, and after taking the second bottle he was no longer troubled with this complaint." Sold by all druggists.

## HOUSE FOR RENT

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## PUT THEM TO PLOWING

Senator Cone's Sharp Talk About the Work at the Negro Agricultural College

Tallahassee, June 7.—The spirit which prompted the senate to strike out \$25,000 appropriation from the funds allotted to the Negro Agricultural and Mechanical College of this state was voiced by the speech of Senator Cone, as follows:  
"Take the brass buttons and chevrons away from these negro boys and make them plow the fields. Think of it, men, negroes wearing uniforms and walking around the streets of our capital city. Why, Mr. President, I have even seen them sitting up here in the senate. Negro captains, yes, captains. We'd better be making farmers out of them."

"Patent leather shoes, red neckties, brass buttons and chevrons are breeding in the breast of every negro out of their ambition to be a Booker T. Washington and eat at some white man's table."

"It is not right to appropriate them all of this money to be used in that way. Why, they even have tennis courts out there. Why not make them plow these courts up and plant something in them? It's called an agricultural school, not a military school. Let's make them wear homespun shirts, jean breeches, and get in the fields and plow. We will cut this appropriation down and say to our state board of control, you take these uniforms from these negroes or we will ask the governor to remove you."

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## SMITH CERTAIN TO SWING

**The Murderer of His Sister Will be Executed Friday**

Jacksonville, June 7.—The State Board of Pardons has refused to commute the sentence of death upon Otis D. Smith, sentenced to hang for the murder of his sister, Cora Belle Smith, on May 8, 1908, and next Friday morning the prisoner will be hanged in the Duval county jail.

## IF YOU KNEW

the merits of the Texas Wonder, you would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble. \$1 bottle two months' treatment. Sold by druggists or by mail. Send for testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo.

## GEISHA GIRLS SOON

**WILL BE A MEMORY**

**Present Reigning Family of Japan Opposed to a Continuance of the Institution**

Philadelphia, June 6.—The geisha girls of old Japan—the oldest vaudeville specialists in the wide world—who antedate Mr. Keith and the knock-about by a thousand years—are booking for extinction. Aristocratic opinion in the land of cherry blossoms and chrysanthemums and battleships de luxe is beginning to regard them askance and the time is in sight when they will be one with the dodo bird and the merry widow.  
This is among the most significant items of information given by the Rev. J. L. Dearing, D. D. of Yokohama, general missionary in charge of the Baptist organization in Japan. The present reigning family has now practically stated its opinion as opposed to the continuance of the geisha as one of the prominent and picturesque elements in the social life of the nation. The gorgeously dressed girls who may be secured to dance and sing and recite and pour tea and light pipes at an entertainment on the payment of so much money—who with their samisen and their purpled eyes have been glorified by literary and dramatic lights, must go.

And this is well, Mr. Dearing thinks, because there is much in the life of the geisha that is not picturesque—much that does not appear on the face and that is at bottom very pitiable and unfortunate. It is not the fault of the geisha, but of the customs under which she lives.

The time is near, therefore, when instead of being taken in infancy and trained to posture and sing and dance and play their thousand-year-old songs upon the samisen, these girls will be taught to cook and use the typewriter and do shorthand and other useful things. Such is the lively progress upward and forward of Nippon.

## RICH MEN'S GIFTS ARE POOR

beside this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to woman," writes Mrs. O. Rhineault, of Vestal Center, N. Y. "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and brilliant health. It quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells; soon builds up the weak, ill and sickly. Try them, 50c at all druggists.

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Plank's Chill Tonic, guaranteed to cure chills and fever, 25 cents.

## A GREATER THAN ENGLAND

Will Curb Germany's Ambition if She Starts on a Career of World-Wide Aggression

Kiel, Germany, June 6.—At a meeting of the German Naval League here yesterday President Koestor "made a sensational speech. "Germany's naval policy must be preserved," said Koestor. "Germany must continue to work to perfect a fleet that will be able to cope with her most powerful marine rivals. There must be no going backward because of outside criticism. A fleet that will keep the German nation where she belongs among the world powers is an immediate necessity."

Count von Buelow waxed sensational. "England's claim that she must rule the seas is preposterous. England has not the divine right to dominate the ocean. Germany and the other powers must contest her superiority. Germany must at least rule the North sea and no interference with her can be brooked."

Baron Engel declared that Germany must create a naval armament powerful enough to wrest the control of the seas from England.  
The three speakers following ridiculed the agreement with England with a view of limiting the Imperial navy. Herr Schmidt was the most sensational of all and declared that the German warships are kept too close home. "Our sphere of action should be broadened. We need a navy big enough and powerful enough to cruise in American waters, thus reminding the inhabitants of their existence, and that Germany is a naval power."

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## FACTS MADE TO ORDER

Unscrupulous Conduct of Republican Senators in Juggling Tariff Figures

Washington, D. C., June 7.—The bold and unscrupulous jugglery with facts and figures in order to keep their hold upon the American people with which the Republican leaders are conducting this tariff making is made more appalling in every step.

These men have not heretofore cared about arguments, as a general thing, they have had the tubs and they have just put their inequities through; but now the people are waking up, and while this tremendous folly is not fully realized by the Alriches, the Lodges, the Hales, the Cannons and the rest of the leaders of the Republican party, the newspapers, the campaign managers and "defenders of the faith" generally see it, and they have deliberately set about to cover up the truth and, where they cannot do this, then they manufacture vilifications of Democrats, so that there may be no other party for the people to go into.

And such a loud noise have these papers and other votaries made that even these fellows making the tariff have been forced to desperation in their efforts to cover up their tracks. A startling example of audacity is shown in what they have done, or tried to do, with respect to the wage scale in Germany. The Republican platform declares in favor of revising the tariff so as to make the rates equal the difference in wages abroad and the wages in this country plus a reasonable profit. And the members of the Senate Finance Committee have been producing figures to show that wages in Europe are very much less than they are in this country. Several of them got up on the floor some days ago and made the statement that the wages of razor makers in Germany were about one-third of what they are in America.

The Senate Finance Committee had a statement printed showing the wages in Germany, which figures were spread out before the Senators and the country. Now, what do you suppose? All the time the Senate Finance Committee has had in its possession, sent to the committee by the State Department, a statement sent over here by request of our government, by the German government, giving the wages in Germany, which statement shows that wages are dollar for dollar higher in Germany than in the United States. This statement by the German government shows that forgers, for instance, get from \$3.33 to \$10.71; the Senate Finance Committee's statement says that forgers in Germany get from \$4.30 to \$7.00. The official statement shows that honers in the razor factories of Germany get from \$9.52 to \$10.71; the Finance Committee's statement says they get from \$2.50 to \$6.00 and so on; a mere sample is all that is necessary.

This audacious juggle was brought to light by Senator Stone of Missouri, who somehow got hold of the figures in the table furnished by the German government, and which the Finance Committee was keeping closely secreted in its inner closets. Sending a transcript of this razor table to the State Department, Senator Stone asked if it was correct, a reply they never would have made if Mr. Aldrich had seen them first. But, you know, Senator Stone's nick-name is "Gum-shoe," Bill.

When "Gum-shoe-Bill" announced in the Senate that such information sent by the German government was in the possession of the government, Senator LaFollette offered a resolution calling on the President to send it to the Senate, through the Finance Committee. Yet not a word about it was known to any Senators except the little coterie of Republican bosses, who deliberately and unscrupulously suppressed it. And that is not the full length of the audacity. When the exposure came, these men actually opposed letting it come out, on the ground that it was "confidential" to this government. And Chauncey Depew had the effrontery to get up and criticize the German government for interfering with the affairs of Congress. Aldrich made his forehead turn scarlet with indignation and declared that the action of the German government was "impertinent to say the least." Nor did he mind you, and that furnished at the request of our own Department of State. But the table showed that these Republican members of the Finance Committee were unscrupulous jugglers and suppressors of facts. No wonder they were indignant.

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## ANOTHER BALLOON RACE

Indianapolis, June 6.—Nine balloons cast loose late yesterday afternoon at the motor speedway, five miles northwest of this city, and sailed off due south in a straight line over the city. Six of them are competing in the national distance race for the trophy of the Aero Club of America and three for the cup offered by the Indiana Aero Club to the pilot and his aids that shall be able to stay aloft the longest period.

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## TRAGEDY IN TEXAS

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